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TELEGRAMS.

[Renter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

EMPIRE'S MINERAL RESOURCES.

Great Results Expected from Official Investigation.

London, June 24.

It is officially stated that the development of the mineral resources of the United Kingdom, which a Department of the opposition to Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the question of conscription Ministry of Munitions is undertaking under Sir Lionel Phillips, is was marked during the week end. Three of his prominent likely to lead to far-reaching results. Sir Lionel is bringing the supporters in the House of Communa disapproved of his referendum knowledge and experience of a life's work in developing the mineral amendment, and it is expected that only six Liberals will support resources of South Africa to the new task. A number of engineers Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his solid Qdebec contingent who are of outstanding ability and position are also assisting the efforts of anti-conscriptionists. the Department, and already considerable work has been done in furthering war purposes. "Steps are being taken to control and expand the wolfram mines, from which "its is expected to produce for home supply tangeten powder, an essential ingredient in the manufacture of high-speed steel. The lead resources of the country are also being completely surveyed. New sources of supply are being investigated and old works re opened. Action is also being taken with regard to the production of zinc.

THE WESTERN FRONT.

Patrol Bacounters and Artillery Activity.

Lordon, Jane 24. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports:-There have been patrol encounters to the south of the Scarpe, while hostile artillery has been active at Croiselles and Messines.

Enemy Bombardmeat Silenced.

London, June 24. A French communique states:-There is violent reciprocal artillery firing in the region of Hurtebise and Craonne. We silenced a violent enemy bombardment south of Juvincourt and dispersed the assembling infantry.

Edemy Attempt Fails.

London, June 24. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports :- The enemy un--successfully attempted raids to the south-east of Gavrelle and at Armentieres.

Enemy artillery has been active near Havrinopurt wood, to the north of the Scarpe and at Messines.

We brought down four seroplanes. One of ours is missing.

Sharp French Counter-Attack.

London, Jone 24. A French communique states: - A sharp counter-attack east of Vanz Aillon resulted in our recepture of the greater part of the ealient still held by the enemy north-east of Moisy Farm.

The artillery duel is rather active in the Hartebise sector on the left of the Meuse.

THE RUSSIAN OUTLOOK.

French Munition Minister's Optimism

London, June 24. According to Reuter's correspondent at Paris, M. Albert Thomas, French Minister of Munitions, interviewed on his return from Russia, states that he is optimistic and confident about Russia. The idea of a separate peace may be completely dismissed. The duality of the Government and the Soldiers' and Workmen's Council has disappeared. The Coalition Government's authority is increasing daily, especially in connection with re-organising the Army, which it had negotiated at a critical and serious time. The necessity for a disciplined Army in order to preserve and guarantee liberty was now understood by the massess. There was a widely growing belief that the military defence would be more effective by an officeive. "I found material and moral reseons for the possibility of an offensive, although I shall not declare the date on which it will take place." The Rumanian Army would do wonders immediately Russia gave the signal.

Anarchists' Threats,

London, June 24. Reuter's correspondent at Patrograd states that the Durnovo * anarchists are still defying the Government, and threaten to blow ap the villa occupied by them if force is used.

A Fiasco.

London, June 24. Reuter's correspondent at Petrograd states that the Maximalist plans have ended in a complete fiseco, neither the workmen nor the eoldiers having rallied to their call. The Military Commandant at Petrograd and the President of the Soldiers' and Workmen's Council have dissuaded intending military demonstrators. The Soldiers' and Workmen's Council is counteracting the Maximalist agitation among the factory hands.

GERMAN INTRIQUE IN NORWAY.

Large Quantity of Explosives Discovered.

London, June 24, Reuter's correspondent at Copenhagen says it is officially approunces that the Coristiania police have arrested several foreigners, who had a quantity of explicates in a private house, and also a number of large trunks from Germany filled with explosives at the zailway etation. The newspapers state that those arrested include the German

Beron von Bauteniels.

The explosives, which amount to a ton; include explosive cigum and oigarettes and infernal machines recembling pieces of coel which could be deposited in ships bankers.

TELEGRAMS.

[Beuter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

CANADIAN CONSCRIPTION.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Being Deserted.

London Jame 24. Renter's correspondent at Ottawa says that Erther Liberal

U. S. FOOD CONTROL.

The President's New Powers.

London, Jane 24. Reuter's correspondent at New York says that the House of Representatives has passed the Food Control Bill, empowering the President to control the distribution of food, feed and fael, forbidding the use of foodstaffs for making intox cants, and authorising the taking over of all quatilled liquors.

WAR PRISONERS.

British and German Officials to Confer.

London, June 24. According to Renter's correspondent at Amsterdam, the Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Lord Newton, General Sir Henry Belfield and Mr. Justice Younger have arrived at Tue Hague to nogotiate with German delegates relative to the conditions with. respect to war prisoners.

NEW AUSTRIAN CABINET.

London, June 24. Router's correspondent at Amsterdam states that a new Austrian Osbinet has been formed with Dr. Von Seidler as Premier.

[In the event of .elegrams arriving too late for insertion on this page they will be found on an Extra!

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE WESTERN FRONT.

Strong German Attacks Repulsed.

A French communique states: After a violent bombardment during the night the Germans made renewed attempts in the region of Vaux Aillon and south and south-east of Filain. All the attacks were repulsed with serious losses, the enemy not gaining any advantage. The fighting was particularly lively between Royere and Froidmont Farms. The Germans who extended their attack along the front from east of Epines-de-Chevrigny as far as north of Froidmont Farm, multiplied their effort, to carry the positions from which they were beaten back yesterday, but our fire broke up the assaulting waves, which were unable to reach our lines or emerge from the salient wherein they penetrated yesterday. Other enemy attempts east of Chevreux and east of Cavaliers-de-Courcy in the sector of Chambrettes also failed.

An Artillery Duel.

A Paris communique says that the artillery duel continued all day in the Chemin-des-Dames region. There was no infantry action.

Portuguese Troops Mentioned.

Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports: We raided enemy positions to the north of Gavrelle. A successful local operation in the neighbourhood of Warneton repulsed enemy raiders north-eastward of Ypres.

Portuguese killed or captured a whole German patrol to the south of Armentieres last night.

ITALIAN TREASON TRIAL.

Rome, June 23. The great treason trial in which the principal figure has been Monsignor Gerlach, a prominent Vatican official, has resulted in Mons. Gerlach and two others being sentenced to penal imprisonment for life and two others to five years' and two to three years' imprisonment respectively.

Gerlach and another accused, who had been ordered to be shot, are fugitives from justice.

THE AUSTRIAN MUNITIUNS EXPLOSION.

Amsterdam, June 23. In the Lower House of the Austrian Reichsrath, the Minister of Defence announced that 138 were dead, 170 missing and 625 injured as the result of an explosion at a munition works at Bloewig, probably due to carelessness.

SERIOUS DISTURBANCE AT STETTIN.

Ameterdam, June 23. The Stettin "Abenpost" reports serious disturbances due to food scandals at Stettin. Grown women and boys looted the shops. Troops restored order.

Owing to a strike of naval workers on Tuesday the military assumed control at the Vulcan and other works. A proclamation was issued ordering a resumption of work and declaring that all eligibles refusing to do so would be immediately sent to the Army.

TELEGRAMS.

[Bouter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

ANARCHY IN RUSSIA.

Cries of "Bread, Peace and Liberty.

Petrograd, June 24. The Durnova anarchists told pressmen that they supported six thousand armed "Peoples" Militia," machine gun companies and also several infantry units. A meeting of Maximalist troops on Thursday resolved to organise armed demonstrations against the Government on the 23rd June. They placarded the streets with posters declaring that the Government is supporting imperialistic capitalists who are responsible for the continuation of the war and the famine, and inviting soldiers and workmen to appear in the streets with the watchwords "Down with the Duma, down with the ten bourgeois Ministers, down with the war; we want bread, peace and liberty."

The Duma Threatened.

The anarchists at Durnova were not evicted at six in the evening. The Congress of Workmens' and Soldiers' Delegates of all Russia has adopted a social democrat motion in favour of dissolving the Council of the Empire, annulling the mandates of the Duma and suppressing the credits voted for the upkeep of both institutions.

A Serious Collision Feared.

The All Russia Conference of Soldiers' and Workmens' Delegates at Petrograd has issued an appeal to the people warning them against the machinations of counter revolutionists who are greedily awaiting a chance to crush the revolution through disorderly demonstrations. The appeal concludes: "No single group of workmen should be on the streets and no single demonstration should be made."

On Friday the question arose of whether the forces of the Government would suffice to prevail over the growing anarchy in Petrograd. This will be put to the test this afternoon when the former will finally demand the evacuation of General Durnovoi's villa at Viborg, which the anarchists seized at the beginning of the revolution and have mince occupied. The armed garrison of the villa include, besides auarchists, extreme socialists who are backed by a detachment of armed sailors from Kronstadt and workmen of the district. A serious collision appears inevitable.

The Government, after an allenght sitting issued placards inviting the population to be calm and declaring that any attempt at violence would be rigorously suppressed.

Simultaneously the Pan-Russian Congress of Soldiers' and Workmens' Executives at Petrograd, the Soldiers' and Workmens' and Peasants' Congress and other socialist and workmens' parties issued appeals to the troops and workmen not to appear on the streets and to abstain from demonstrations which would only help the counter revolution, the dark forces of which were only waiting for an opportunity "to attack the national liberty.

THE GREEK CRISIS.

M. Venizelos has informed Reuter that he is most optimistic. He stated that he is determined to end the pro-German propaganda. He favoured the removal from Athens of the anti-Entente royalties and declared that the Royalist's attitude is still most objectionable. He could not understand their aim.

At the invitation of M. Jonnart, the High Commissioner of the Allied Governments. M. Venizelos is staying on a battleship which Venizelist demonstrators surrounded with boats last night.

THE COTTON SITUATION.

Sir A. Stanley yesterday conferred with representatives of the cotton trade from Liverpool, Manchester and Nottingham. Owing to the shortness of notice, representatives of the principal trade unions were unable to be present, but will be fully represented at a conference between Sir A. Stanley and representatives of all the cotton trade interests on the 27th inst., when it is expected that a decision will be reached regarding the best means of dealing with the situation. Meanwhile the Futures Market at Liverpool will. remain closed.

HUGE MASONIC LOD IE.

London, June 23. Eight thousand Grand Lodge Officers and Masters, including representatives from Overseas, held a special Grand Lodge at the Albert Hall yesterday in celebration of the bi-centenary of the English Grand Lodge of Free Masons. .H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, the President, read a message from H.M. the King expressing thanks for "the traditional loyalty of the Free Masons" . . . A religious service will be held in the Albert Hall to-day.

RUSSIANS FORCE BACK TURKS.

A wireless Russian official message states: In the region of Rayatek we forced back the Turks on the right bank for two miles. We advanced as far as the Abishirvan River in the region of Sakkiz.

DANI H POLITICAL TROUBLES

Copenhagen, June 23. The King has refused to accept the resignation of M. Rottboell.

GOOD NEWS FROM ITALIAN FRANT....

London, June 23. An Italian official message states: The enemy concentrated a brisk fire upon our new position at Mount Ortigara on the Asiago plateau. We replied effectively. We captured on June 19th in this area four guns, fourteen machine guns, a thousand rifles and a large quantity of sommunition and mining material

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SHANGHAI STOCK exchange.

Forward Buying of Un-numbered Shares.

The Shanghai S ock Exchange

inened a notice on June 12 to the years ago grant man Committee disciplinary powers over members making contracts for forward delivery in which no share numbers are declared, has been rescinded at an extraordinary general meeting. The rele in question was adopted shortly after CREO ID British Supreme Court brought out the point that contracts made on the old system, which by the rescinding of this rule has again been revived. could not be enforced. The adoption of the rule coused controversy and brought forth pronounced opposition from a minority of the members Stock Exchange, but up until this time their efforts had been unavailing. As can easily be understood, the enforcement of the rule considerably curtailed the volume of business transacted, and it would appear that the majority of the brokers have adopted the point of view that a reversion to the old system would probably result in an incressed volume of business.

The Exchange in its official notice points out that while the brokers are now free to make such controls, the Committee is sebarred by Rule 62 from taking Bry cognisance of claims arising therefrom, and moreover that under King's Regulations, etc., they sre unenforceable in a British Court. It is also appounced quotations for forward delivery supplied to the Press under the heading "Official Business" will only be made when a declaration has been signed by the selling and buying brokers. that share numbers will be inserted in the contracts and that quotations for foward delivery under the Heading "Unofficial Business," while supplied for the public, are not registered in the books of the Exchange, and are not recognised by the committee. -Mil and a Booiew

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Navvics Union Congratulates Coloniel Ward and the Battalion.

The Nevvies', Builders' Latourers', and General Labourers' Union, of which Colonel John Ward, M.P., is general secretary, have addressed a letter to Colonel Ward and his men, expressing their sincere congratulations on the "cilm, manly, and courageous judgment you one and all displayed on Feb. 9, 1917, when the s.s. Tyndarous, on which you were passengers, struck an energy's mine in mid ocean.

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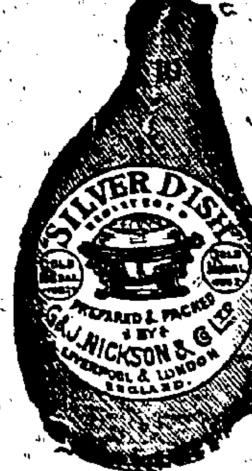
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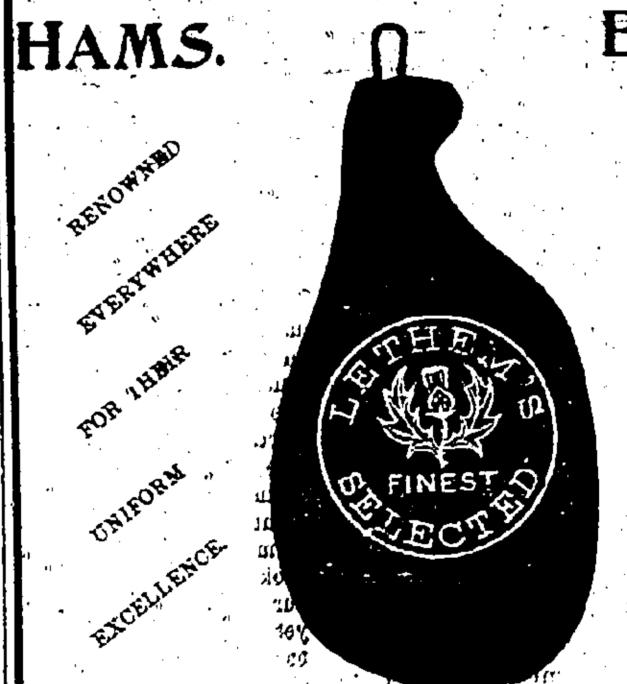
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GENERAL NEWS.

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The Day of the Old. Mr. John Randle, who is in his Blat rear. has been elected sidesman of Bedworth Church; and Mr. John Deffern, who is in his 80th year, has been appointed chairman of Beaworth Parish

New Route to Holland. Some 90 Dutch passengers, who had arrived from Netberlands 💸 India at Surz by the Princess Julians, which was ordered back to India, and who proceeded to Marceilles by various ships, were to leave Paris for Switzerland en route for Holland.

"Thrice Dead." Lance-Corporal Barry Daulmon, of the Warwick Regiment, was recently reported killed in action for the third time, the news being confirmed in the last case by the receipt of a photograph purporting to be that of his grave. He now writes home that he is still alive, but a prion the Market. | soner of the Turks."

> Fined £ 140. On several summonsee taken out at the Food Controller's instance, for selling accommodation milk for more than the fixed price, Alfred Burnard, of Vauxhall was fined £140 at Westminater recently. He was said to have evaded the law by trading under different styles Burnard, Burnard and Co., and the West of England Dairies Ltd.-"a one-man company on which he tried to ring the changes."

> When Peace will be Possible. The Belgian Minister in Petrograd, M. Emile Vandervelde, interviewed, by Russian journalists, declared that a peace on the besis of the status quo would be contrary to the principles of liberty. The liberation of the people of Armenia, the Trentino. and Alesce-Lorraine were not annarations but dis-superstions. Peace was anly possible when the Kaiser and Emperor Charles of Austria retired into private life like the Test.

The Kaiser's Car. A very fine our recently changed hands at \$7,000. It was built for the German Emperor by s. celebrated English firm of motor manufacturers, and more the war it has remained on their hands as a nort of white elephant. It was too dear for any ordinary purchaser, and people who might have been able to afford the price did not went it owing to the scarcity of petrol. Now, however, it has been acquired by a rich Scandinavian, who is anding difficulty in getting it over to Denmark. Disappearance of O.S.K. Captain.

News has been received at the K be office of the Ostan Shosen Kaisha of the dirappearance of Captain Kato Kosabaro, of the Joshin Marv, 1,200 tons, which is running between Hongkong and Keelung. It seems that Captain Kato disappeared while the steamer was proceeding from Hongkong to Swatow. It is not known whether his vanishing is a case of accident, or mucide. Captain Kato used to live in Kobe when the Joshin Maru was employed on the Korean line, but leinos ahe was transferred to the Hongkong Keelung run he and his family have been living at Keelung

Wife Assists in Husband's Condemnation.

A Zariob message states that

the wife of Frederick Adler, the assessin of Count Staergkh, who is residing at Zurich, was subpoenzed on behalf of the defence to testify that her husband was mentally irresponsible. To the public's eurprise, however, she proved a wirness for the proseoution. She testified that Adler. was absolutely same, and response sible for every act. This sealed ther hunkard's fate, outweighing the evidence of mental specialists that he was partly irresponsible. An earlier cable announced that Adler had been condemned to

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War Time Official Staffs. Including voluntary workers, the Ministry of Food has a staff. of 283, the Royal Commission on Wheat Supplies 145, and the Royal Commission on the Sugar Supply 40.

New Novel on Peking Life. The Peking Gazette announces that "M de Hoyer, the versatile banker, sporteman and clubman has written a novel of modern life in Peking, which will be publish. in a few days."

Reviving French Forests. About 1.000lb. of pine seed from British woods sent to France during the past month by the Agricultural Belief of Allies Committee, will be used to replant forest lands devasted during the the war.

Russian Official's Suicide. A recent Barbin dispatch to Japanese papers reported the spicide of the Russian acting Consul General at Harbin, who blew out his brains with a revolver. The revolution is supposed to be the cause of his suicide. Accident to Well-known:

Missionary.
The Rev. C. H. D. Fisher, of the American Baptist Mission, a well-known missionary worker of Yokobams, met with a nasty accident recently being thrown down by an electric car, breaking his right arm just above the wrist, crushing his left arm, and receiving several braises about the body.

Killed in Action.

We regret to learn that Mr. G-raid Samuel, has been killed in action. Mr. Samuel came out to Shanghai four years ago as Managing Director of Mesus. Simuel and Co., Ld., and remained be e for six months, when he returned Home. Mess-s. Samuel and Oo., Shanghai, received news of his death yesterday; says the N C. Daily News of June 16.

The Situation in Anhul. The extreme seriousness of the eituation in Anhui is reported by a visitor from that province, save the China Press. Troops have seized the Bank of China at Wuhu he said and, on Sanday had been mobilised and fully equipped to move. They were taking over all boats on the river at that point and were lined up along the bank with their kits, ready to embark. Relations between the soldiers and the people were strained almost to the enapping point. The civil population favours the President and his policy and hates No Shibchung and Chang Haun bitterly, and with troops saddled upon them are ready for an outbreak.

Japanese Telegraph System. The telegraph service between Tokyo and Kobe is steadily getting worse, says the Japan Chronicle Time was when we could depend on a telegram reaching us in three hours, if not in two, but, now messages from Tokyo take anything from five hours to ten. Money spent on telegraphing news from Tokyo is wasted. The other day a telegram from Tokyo to a fi m in Kobe was transmitted in less than three hours, but the operators received such a ehock that the message was "laid in our office until this [nexi] morning by error ".1 So although there was no delay on the wires, delay in delivery brought the time between deepatch and receipt up to about 17 1 .7-9 hours.

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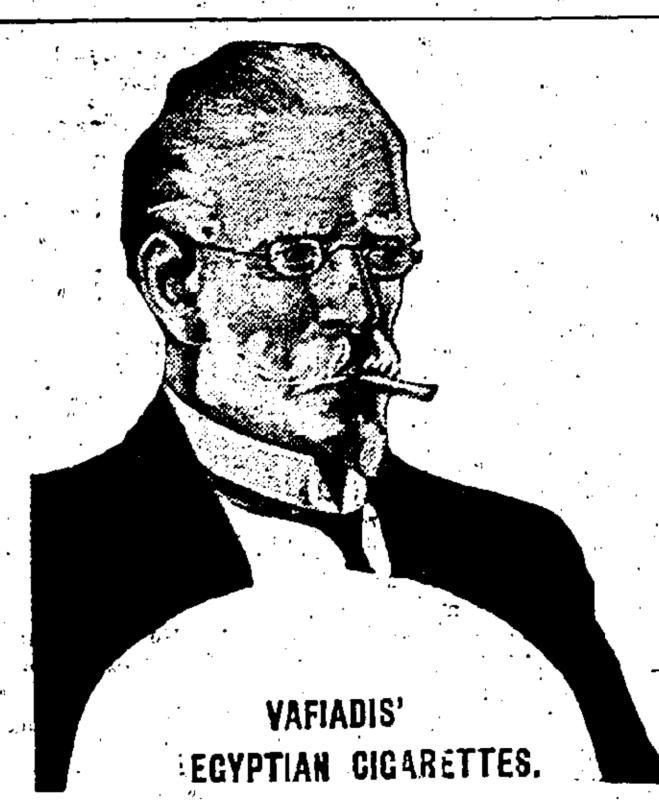
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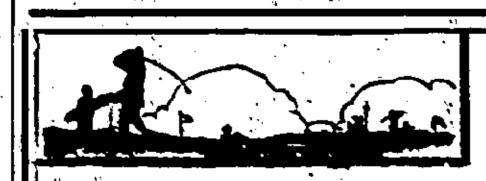
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BIRTHS. BIRNIE.-On 9th June; at "Holydyke," Kobe, the wife of

Cyril Montague Birnie, of a son. WILKS.-On June 19, at the Victoria Nursing Home, Shanghai, to Captain and Mis. Wilks, a daughter. DEATH.

BEESLEY.-On June 15, at the Isolation [Hospital, Brian, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Beesley, aged 3 years and 7 months.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JUNE 25, 1917.

HONGKONG AND THE GERMANS.

Though nothing tangible has immediately arisen out of the development-and very few expected that there would-it is none the less satisfactory to feel that the question of the exclusion of Germans from Hongkong has at length been brought to the notice of the Imperial Government by the putting of a question on the subject in the House of Commons. The Colony is indebted to Mr. Gershom Stewart for his interest in the matter, and it is fortunately placed in that it can rely on a man of his type and influence to bring forward, as occasion demands, issues in which it is deeply concerned and interested. In this way, Mr. Stewart has been of great service to Hongkong in the past, and if it ever happens that there is created an Imperial Parliament in which Hongkong is to be represented, the Colony could wish for no more useful ecokesman or faithful friend than the Member for the Wirral Division of Cheshire.

In his question to the Secretary of State for the Colonies. Mr Stewart sought especially to know whether the Imperial Government's views coincided with those of the efficial members of the Hongkong Legislative Council, and whether, in view of the recent repetition of hostile Jerman intrigue, German subjects would be free after the war to re-enter the Crown Colonies: Neither of these points was answered, so far as one can judge from Reuter's message on the subject. Mr. Walter Long did not state whether the Government agreed or disagreed with the action of our Legislative Council, while, on the general issue, he stated that it would be premature to express an opinion on matters of future policy. Mr. Stewart, in his question, made reference to the large native populations in the Crown Colonies, and it looks to us as though the Secretary of State, in remarking that the Chinese members of the Council woted against exclusion, may have intended to imply that the natives of Hongkong were at one with the Government in the matter. He does not probably know that the Chinese members voted without consulting their constituents (if they may be considered to have any) and thus were in no wise entitled to speak for the Chinese community se a whole. At any rate, the principal point is that Hongkong's business men, as represented by the General Chamber of Commerce, which embraces the biggest and most influential houses; in the Colony, are solidly in favour of German exclusion, and, what

without essistance from Tentonic merchants. We quite anticipated, of course, that, on the general question of the barring of enemy subjects from the Colonies after the war, the Imperial Government would not se yet be in a position to commit itself. That is obviously a matter for general agreement among the various parts of the Empire, with possible variation of treatment to suit particular localities. All the same, we would have welcomed a definite reply by the Secretary of State as to whether the Government associated itself with the action taken by the Hongkong Legislative Council indeliberately voting down the considered opinion of the Colony's business men. It may be—it probably is—premature to express opinions on matters affecting future Imperial policy; certainly, the time for actual decision does not appear to have yet arrived. But that is the whole point. The Horgkorg Chamber of Commerce never for a moment sought to decide the issue; it merely asked that the resolution it put forward should be passed as an expression of opinion which might be useful in leading the Home authorities to come to a resolve which should accord with local feel-

ing. The time was most decidedly ripe for that; hence the unres-

sonsbleness of the efficial attitude in refusing to accept the motion.

The Late General Broadwood.

There will be many in Hongkong who will have read with the deepent re ret of the death, from wounds received in action, of YOU SPEAK YOU'LL FIND THAT Lieutenant General R. G. Broad- ABOUT NINETY PER CENT. OF THE wood, C.B., who commanded the TOWAY A WORD. tr ope in South China from 1908 to 1910. The deceased G neral was the immediate predecessor of General Anderson as General Sir Robert L. Borden, the Cana. It is not surprising that, after 30 Officer Commanding in Hong- dian Prime Minister, who was kong, the latter of whom, it may be born in 1854. noted, has been twice mentioned and made K C.B. for his services in the present war. General Broad-. wood was en the Retired List at the outbreak of the war, but, like 2a. 6.5/16d. The closing rate many another officer who, after will be found on Page L. eplendid service for the Empire, reasonably thought that he had done with fighting, he was again called upon to undergo active ing, before Commander C. W. and Howden, of Newcastle-onservice and has now laid down Beckwith, R.N., a bostman who Tyne, builders of the beautiful bis life for bis King and country. was found under way during new organ at the Union Charch. mourn his death, there is, perhape, an appropriateness in the manner of his demise. He had wood had seen service with the tone. Dongola Expeditionary Force, in the Errytan Ware of 1898 (including A bara and Khartoum) and in the Beer War. He was on many occasions mentioned in despatches. Prior to coming to Hongkong, he was in command of the troops in Natal. Though General Broadwood's stay in Hongkong was British General who had spent now missing. the best of his life doing shirtgreatly loved by every man in told Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Police his Command. He took a keen Court this morning, that he took interest in racing, was a Steward of them to repair the gutter. Sentence the Jockey Club, and, we believe, of four weeks' hard labour and at the annual Bace Meetings. He

sleeve work for the Empire, he soled more than once as Judge four bours' stocks was passed. by Broadwood Road, but he has passed. left more than that as a remem-

brance of his stay here—the British soldier. Our Portuguese Ally.

struggle, we hear of the doings F. X. D'Almada, who said the the music-loving public at large, of the troops of our gallant ally, man was ignorant of the law. Portugal, with whom we we are nominal fine of \$5 was imposed. glad to recall that we are in 'perpetual alliance." As to the precise papers. It is known, however. Allies only on her African colonial | 1t. frontier, off-red a large contingent of troops for service in France or elsewhere in the European was zone. The offer war, of course readily and gratefully accepted. with the result that at least ten battalions of Portuguese troops were raised—all splendid sol diers, many of whom had seen excellent pervice in Angola and other Portuguese Colonies and who were keen to participate in man. bringing about the downfall of the detested Boche. The Portuguese were, we believe, first sent to take part in the Balkans' campaign, where they shared the honours with the French, British is more, are confident in their ability to keep the trade flag flying and Serbian troops and acquitted themselves valiantly. Since then occasional brief reference in the cables has pointed to the Portuguese troops, or a part of the contingent, having participated in the fighting in the Western front; and in one of the cables to hand it will be seen that they are specially mentioned by Field Marchal Sir Donglas Haig 89 having "killed or captured the whole of a German patrol could ending Jone 23, one of the of Armentieres." This clearly proves that in the Portuguese the rest Chicese. There was one we have an ally as determined as

very desirable result.

DAY BY DAY.

IF YOU THINK TWICE BEFORE

To-morrow's Anniversary.

The Dollar. The opening rate of the dolla to-day demand

During Prohibited Hours. At the Marine Court this morn While all who knew him will prohibited hours was fined \$25.

Kallan Output. The total output of the Kailan had a life of fighting, and Mining Administration's mines it has been brought to a close for the week ending June 9 down, repair all its parts, and by a soldier's death. During his amounted to 70,365 tons and the rebuild it at a cost of \$4,500. military career, General Broad- | Bales Curing the period to 63,324

> Wanted First Place. Five chair coolies were charged before Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Magistracy to-day, with fighting. It appeared that the quarrel arose over who should take up first position on the stand. Each of the men was fined \$3.

Too Trusty. A partner of the Yuen Oc. not marked by any nuneual mili- jewellery shop, 35, Cage Street, tary changes, it can be said that reports to the Police"that on 21-t he was one of the most popular inst, he entrusted one of his work. are absolutely necessary. At the

Stolen Petrol Tias.

Admitted His Guilt. was most accessible to the Press, A youth, who said he was un- The improvements mentioned Sir Frederick Lugard gave a Mr. Dyer Ball, at the Police making a total expenditure of reception to local journalists Court this morning, with stealing \$7,000. during his first week in the the hose cap off a steam launch. Colony, General Broadwood was He frankly admitted that he stole make such an appeal at the preone of the official guests. His the article to sell it. Sentence of sent time, when there are so many name is perpetuated in the Colony six weeks' hard "labour was

Ignorance of the Law. A Chinere, who has just returnmemory of a true and gallant ed from America, was charged before Mr. Dyer Ball, at the Police Court this morning, with attempt-From time to time, out of the ing to export to Macao 40 lbs. of to the present and future conwelter of the great European lead. He was represented by Mr. gregations of the Cathedral, and to

No Appearance. number of troops which Portugal snewer a charge of possessing as Mr. Blackett, to whom Mr. has been able to send to the seven taels of opium dross at Denman Fuller has promised his Western front, no data has been Kowloon Railway station, and valuable assistance. furnished to us in this part of the their bail of \$50 each was estreat. world, nor have we seen any ed. When one of the women was scheme, the sum of \$7,000 will be satisfactory statement in the Home arrested she said that her mistress required during the next six had given her the dross to take months, but as it is necessary for that many months ago Portugal, up country, and when questioned the Church Body to have some disratisfied with assisting the about this the mistress admitted idea of the probable response to

Coolie v. Watchman. this morning, with assaulting an they are willing to give. Dona-Indian watchman at the Kowloon | tions may be made by instalments godowns. The watchman said if preferred. that the crolis refused to be rearched, knocked him down and bit his finger The coolie alleged that the watchman pushed him. Mr. J. R. Wood discharged the

Rowling Men's Experience. Two members of the V.R.C. had an unplessant experience on Baturday. They were out rowing Stabb. when they were struck by a heavy Equall, and, foreseeing danger, they jumped overboard, overturned the boat and hung on till a junk came to their rescue. They then seated themselves on the up-Hongkong by the junk without untoward incident of any kind.

The Colony's flealth. The weekly return of infectious Officer of Health, shows that there were three non-fatal cases of enterio fever during the week sofferers, being a Japanese and fatal case of puerperal fever. a we curselves, or of any of the Chinese being the victim, and one non-fatal case of plague, the Park Road to visit some animal be chained up and kept massacre that took place only in other nations bent upon the deto do their utmost to schieve that

on the barbour was affected.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[The opinions expressed by correspondents are not necessarily those of the " Hongkong Telegraph."] THE CATHEDRAL ORGAN. To the Editor of the "Hongkong

Telegraph."] Sir,-The organ of St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong, is one To morrow is the birthday of the institutions of the Colony, years' use, in spite of great care, it shows signs of suffering from foreseen for some time that a Not so this thing, however, East to West, depopulating whole to preserve its life.

builder in the Far East, it was amount of canine intelligence or killed over half a million people; necessary to await the arrival in divining powers. If the owner reaching the Uganda Protectorate the Colony of Mr. Blackett, the of the dog in question would in July, 1901, it had 30,000 deaths senior partner of Messra Blackett only let others point out to him to its credit within one year, and and Howden, of Newcastle-on- that there is a wide difference 200,000 by the end of 1906 in the

with the Cathedral organist (Mr. Denman Fuller), has carefully examined the organ, and reports that it is necessary to take it The principal item is the repair of the sound boards, the glue of which has completely failed: reconstructing these, the use of confidently hoped that the life of a great number of other com- says the Chronicle, for its laws glue will be avoided, and it is the instrument will thereby be extended for many years. the same time, a new reservoir

the organ

Charged with stealing eight provements which are strongly was a modest and unassuming petrol tins from beneath the stairs recommended by Mr. Blackett and man-in short, a gentleman of a house at Sai Wan, a coolie Mr. Fuller. These consist of re-

to the front case on pipes.

To carry out the complete this appeal, intending denote are requested to inform me or one of A coolie was charged, before the other lay members of the Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Magietracy | Church Body of the amount which

> Yours etc. 20th instant is a popular man. W. L. PATTENDEN. Hon. Secretary, S. John's Cathedral.

A DANGEROUS DOG.

Sir,-Will you very kindly Even gentlemen may have their allow me space in your esteemed paper to corroborate a statement in your issue of the 20th. ivst. the one chased, instead of the anent "A Dangerous Dog" turned boat and were towed to owned by the tenant of the lowner, he might even have gone ground floor of No. 62, Bonham one better than barely trespaning. Kenna's novels there is a charact-

diseases, issued by the Medical in a sense. It amuses itself rush- they are inoffensive. race at the first pedestrian, be it from snarling and enapping at that the dog sometimes misbe- gave an account of King Edward vocation.

struction of Prussian militarism. In this case a Chinese living friends on the Robinson Road, chained, instead of being an the columns of the journal of the formation to do their utmost to achieve that and the mad behaviour of the dog annoyance to the public?

complained of in your issue of the 20th, inst. so alarmed and abattered her nerves that she was seriously ill afterwards, and she is not one who is usually nervous of dogs, either; in fact, the aver. things that the war has compand age dog generally knows her for is the fact-evident from a what she is, i.e. one who loves recent Government report on and pets all dege, for the reason Ugands-that the deadly sleepthey appear to her to be the most ing sickness is now well in hand.

Mr. Blackett, in corjunction

at her all the investives they

What I wish particularly to

know is :- Is this sort of thing to

go on, are Europeans to be sworn

at indiscriminately by Chinese

ed to go on their way unmolested?

And they call this a British

Colony. Where is our protection?

We do not wish to fly to the

Police Courts and have our names

mingled with theirs upon the

least provocation. No doubt

they would enjoy it; it gives

them a sort of fame; they would

relish it; but we, decidedly, would

Hung Kam-ning has the honour

of attacking in your issue of the

well-known and well-liked by all

who have the pleasure of his

he sees one. The people who

cast aspersions on others are them-

selves open to the same question.

equanimity upset by the mad be-

haviour of such a deg, and, had

Mr. Hung Kan-ning himself been

Peaceful residents are not in the

Yours etc.

HUMANITY.

and peaceful residents not allow-

could lay their tongues to.

every sense of the word than he three. bargains for. Now that attention has

will be installed which will relieve the strain upon the existing bellows and prolong the life of As already stated, these repairs

G.O.C.'s the Colony ever had. He men with two dismonds, valued same time it is hoped that there was of a most charming disposi- at \$250, for the purpose of setting will be such a response by all tion and, like many another them in ear-ringe. The man is music-lovers to this appeal that the Church Body will feel justied in introducing certain implacing the whole of the pedal actions, the insertion of a new pedal stop (Double Dulcians), and

> The Church Body are leath to calls upon generous purses for War Funds, but, being entrusted with the maintenance of this valuable instrument, than which there is no finer in the Far East they would fail in their duty to the generous donors of the pact, A if they allowed the organ to into decay, or missed opportunity affirded by the visit Two women to-day failed to of an expert organ-builder such

Severe, C.M.G., and Mr. N. J. does not know a gentleman when

ing out of the house in a mad man, woman or child, and no amount of coaxing will stop it one's heels, for no cause or pro-

TO-DAY'S HISCELLANY.

One of the really sensational devoted and intelligent of all It is not so long since the world animals, and for this same reason watched with unrelieved despair a dog's sagacity soon tells him the march of this devastating by whom he is liked or disliked. borror across tropical Africa from thorough overhaul was necessary whom they choose to call a territories along the newly-opened dog, and who seems to be lines of communication. In the As, however, there is no organ- utterly devoid of the usual the first ten years of the century it between petting a dog, yet Protectorate alone. But in 1915; training it up well, and, on the the year dealt with in the latest other hand, spoiling an otherwise report the total deaths from this good animal by letting it indulge cause in the same area were only in enappy tempers and encourag- 352, and this was a drop of almost ing it to rush at stranger twenty-five per cent. from the perhaps he would not need to be year before. The populous wiser in the end but poorer in Buganda province lost 1,003 pecket, for the said animal may people in 1905 from sleeping prove dearer to its owner in sickness; in 1915 it lost precisely

> been particularly Brizil is in one respect the drawn to him, there are most democratio of all countries. plaints waiting to be filed against prohibit the establishment of any this same aggressor. The lady university, because "the conferin question, when attacked, sung ring of academic distinctions is out to the servants at the back contrary to the principles of true gate of No. 62 Bonham Road to democracy." There are many oill the dog off; instead of com-institutions in Brazil where mediplying with this very natural re- cine and law "are taught, and quest, however, as well-trained these grant certificates of proservants would have, they started ficiency to pupils who complets to cheek her, saying "Why can- the course in a satisfactory mannot our dog bark if he wishes, can ner. But, however well qualified we help him barking? Beside? he may be, no Brezilian can legalthe street is not yours alone!" ly style bimself in his own At this the poor alarmed lad- country a doctor of laws or of replied "Yes, but he is your dog, medicine.

you shouldn't let him rush out at people like that, you will be have There is ample evidence (writes ing people take out a summons an setronomical correspondent actions with tabular pneumatic against his owner." The dog to a Home Paper) that the apparations continued to chase the now ter- rition when the Tarks see ned rified lady unimpeded, and the likely to overrun Europe, was the supply of phenmatic actions servants, hidiculing the while, regarded as a bad comen by cried out," Summons, go shead, Christians; but the often-quoted why don't you?" At this, the statement that the Ave Maria had lady picked up a stone and threw a comet clause added to it and and it will be recalled that when employed, was charged before are estimated to cost \$2,500, it at the dog and ran away, that the then Pope. Calixing III. Meanwhile, the servants (an issued a Bull against the Turks, amah and a maid servant) caused the Devil, and the comet was quite a furore and ran into the carefully investigated a few years house to tell their master, as if ago by Mr. Lynn, F.R.A.S., who the complaint had been theirs to examined all the Bulls issued by m ke and they the injured party. Calixtus III -there were only Now this appears to be a nice four-and found no mention sort of orderly household to ap- whatever of either the Turks or peal to when in trouble and being the comet in any one of them. thoroughly frightened into the The statement, I think, first apbargain. I may add that when peared in Lardner's "Astronomy," the lady in despair picked up a which was published early last stone in self-l-feace, both the century. amah and maid servant shouted

> The Herbrew scrolls condemned recently in the Prize Court because they came from Jerusalem were, according to the description by counsel, door-post amulets. These are small absets of parchment on which are written verses from Deuteronomy vi. 4-9 and xi. 13-21 — the principal Jewish i prayers—and then rolled up and inserted into cylinders for fixing to door-posts. M. gazabs are cheap tenough in England, and there is no need to import them from the Holy Land, although the very pious might prefer to keep the spirit of the saying, "For the Law shall go forth from Zion and The gentleman whom Mr. the word of the Lord from Jeruealem.

Twenty-nine breskissie from a six-penny packet of maissimes!! is probably a record in food The lay-members of the St. acquaintance, trusted on account economy. It was achieved by an John's Cathedral are :- Mr. F. B. of bie general good manners American who was out of work L. Bowley, Mr. A. H. Harrie, Mr. and behaviour, and I am sorry for a "good spell." The break-E. V. D. Parr, the Hon. Mr. C. for Mr Hung Kam-ning that he fasts consisted of a mach heated in a tin saucepan over his bedroom gas jet, and the only other ingredient was sugar, a pound of which sufficed to sweeten the nine and-twenty "paddings." The privations continued for many months, with no ill effect on the experimenter's bealth.

In one of Mr. Stephen Moer who made a hobby of collect-This dog is a most vicious habit of making footballs of help- ing issues of certain newspapers a clossal blunder committed therein. The Khartoum copy of Punch was among them. Other PS.—Since the owner admits he mentions are the journal that haves, (frequently, I should say VII's coronation, which did not gathering from complaints all take place, and a newspaper that A lady was going quietly up round) should not such an unruly regaled its readers with a Peking recording is.

SACERDOTAL JUBILEE.

Presentation to Father Spada.

The Rev. Father Spade, of the Rosary Church, Kowloon, bas from the Diocese. The Rev. being present. Father Suada was the celebrant, An excellent programme had Descon and Sub-Descon respectoughly enjoyed. There were question, who is a foki employed at tively, with Father De Maria many amusing items, not the the Sun Hop Loong shop, had been as assistant. Father Paul ac least funny of which was the celebrating the cossion a little companied the Bishop, and two sketch "Charlie Chaplin and His celebrating the cossion a little or three Chinese priests also as- Bride." The crowd was kept in too freely. The trouble began sisted. At the Lavabo, Father roars of laughter by the antice of about 7 o'clock, when the feki Spade had Chevalier J. M. Alves this gentleman and his fellow began threatening the inmates of and Messrs. E. J. Noronha and artister, the tride being carried the shop, who quickly became J.M.C. Basto as sponsors.

He had spent practically the whole extent of \$146.60 when he went to Europe to fulfil tone; 2, Stewart. to perform, but all the beauties land; 2, Gerrard. Cathedral and climate, could not 2. England. detain him for a minute longer than the time necessary for him McIntyre; 2, Stewart. back to Hongkong "to labour land. patiently among them again. He Greasy Pole.—Finch. hoped that Father Spade would be 2, Grimshaw. spared to work amongst them for many years, and that their child- Orse (nominated by Mrs. able to gather together to cele- Mrs. Russell). brate the golden jubilee of their beloved pastor.

The Mass was followed by Benediction, and subsequently a Miss Lottie Scott; 2, Miss Yeard, hospital for treatment. The latter dividend of 5/- per share payable reception was held at the Club ley. de Recreio, at which the Bishop, the Consul for Portugal. Mr. E. V. D. da Souze. A Committee had been formed, with Mr. G. A. Yvanovich as President, to organise a precention. This took the form of a pair of gold-mounted spectacles and a cheque for \$400. There POLICE RESERVE ORDERS. was a very large attendance at the Club, including Mr. P. Bothelo the President, and music was rendered by the Orchestra of the Philarmonica Society.

Mr. Yvanovich, who said they ! had met that day to celebrate the jubilee of the ance Platoon. Rev. Father Spada and also his birthday. The large assembly present testified to the great in- Platoon will carry their haverancks terest displayed by the parish and water bottles when on patrol. pettish, excitable, and restless. ioners in Father Spada's work. and was also a testimony to their gratitude and affection for him. Perhaps some would ask what he had done to merit this. He would saick and the orphane who would strend the D. S. P. (R.)'s office soon there began to be days when between 4 and 5. p.m. (Saturdays she could not get up. Her cheeks abandoned them. abandoned them. The parish house had never refused to assist acceptable to Father Spads, so place in that room. they had got something that he After Father Spada's health are obtainable from Chemisty Steamer or Godown.

TAIKOO AQUATICS.

Enjoyable Function at Quarry Bay.

Although the weather did not just completed twen y-five years give much promise of being fine of priesthood, and the occasion on Saturday afternoon, the rain Hing Lung Street, near the was yesterday oelebrated by a held off, and the water carnival, Central Market, on Saturday High Mass at the Reserv Church. inaugurated by members of the His Lordship. Bishop Pozzoni staff of the Tsikoo Dock on behalf night, when a drunken Chinese attended, as also did a large num. of War Charities, passed off with- created a huge commotion. ber cf psrishioners and priests out hitch, a large crowd of people Saturday was the day of the

to fulfil his mission. He came | Tub Race.—1, Rodger; 2, Eag- | The Reservist then got possession |

(Father Robert) knew that he 100 Yards, Handicap. - 1, engaged in a battle royal for was only expressing the opinion Johnstone; 2, Firch; 3. Stewars. some ten minutes or more. of all the parishioners when he Donkey Riding .- I, McIntyre; Eventually, the Reservist got the

Ladice' Nomination.-1. ren and grandchildren would be Arthur); 2, Bond (nominated by

> England; 2. McCrae. 50 Yards Ladies' Handicap.-1,

Excellent services were render- the foki and was generally com- pay for the new shares. Father Spade and several of the ed by the Committee, which con-mended for his placky action. sisted of :- Messrs W. H. Prowse, G. Middleton, J. D. Polley, A. Sommerville, W. McKay, R. Gray, and J. Stewart, who was a most efficient Secretary,

Orders issued to-day by Mr. blood for development. J. W. Franks, Acting D. S. P. The presentation was made by (Reserve) state:-

Parades. Central. 3.45 p.m. Thursday, Jone 28.—Ambul- was tall, straight and beautiful.

Patrols. Members of the Ambulance But at home, where there was

Band Committee. The Band Committee will meet a at Headquarters Club on Tuesday, sweets. Instead of being happy June 26, at 6 p.m.

to lend a hand in the house, she The Acting D. S. P. (B.) will was languid and tired, trailing

climb. anyone who had asked for help, he appreciated the presence of Someone said to her mother, countersignature, and to take and their pastor sacrificed every- His Lordship the Bishop and the "That girl is armaic. She is thing for the poor. Whenever priests and parishioners. Twenty- making bone instead of blood. there was an epidemic of cholera. five years was certainly a long If you let her go on, you will have plague or small-pox, their span in the life of an individual, an invalid on your hands. Give priest always went into the cut those years which he had her Dr. Williams' pink pills for midst of it, no matter how great spent far from his homeland had pale people; they have saved be taken from the Company's the danger, and rendered help to been very pleasant to bim. He many a girl in that state." The Godown. those who needed it. He was a wished to thank the committee mother took the hint and in a true soldier of Christ and was which had organised the pre-little while she had her rewardalways ready to do his duty. The sentation, and also the President, a healthy daughter, who was a speaker then said they knew that of the Club de Recreio for promising woman. Take the a valuable present would not be allowing the presentation to take hint yourself and begin Dr. Williams' pink pille to day. They

could always use, and he saked had been drunk, Bishop Pozzoni everywhere, and post fee. him to accept the spectacles and addressed the gathering, saying bottle for \$1.50, 6 for \$8/ from cheque as a token of their esteem that the honour to Father Spads Dr. Williams' Medicine Cc., 96 Godown, where they will be and affection. was also an honour to himself. Szechnen Road, Shanchai. The Bishop then handed the Father Spada thoroughly deserv- The little book, "Plain Talks gifts to the Rev. Father Spada. ed all that had been said about to Women." (free from above filed after the 13th July, 1917. Father Spade, in replying, said him. He thanked the Catholics of address) tells women of all ages how deeply he was moved by Kowloon for their manifestations how to be well; send a post card that manifestation, and how much of silection that day.

CELEBRATING THE FESTIVAL.

Exciting Scenes Near the Central Market.

There were exciting scenes in Dragon Boat Festival, and it while Father. Rossi acted as been arranged, which was thor- would appear that the man in sway in a bost and Charlie left scared and rushed up to the first The Rev. Father Robert, Prc-|standing disconsolately on the floor. The foki then got hold of a curator of the Mission Etrangeree, dock side. Disaster stalked chopper and a meat knife and was the preacher. He said twenty- the party in the boat, for the began damaging the property of five years had passed away since bostman lost his balance and the shop, breaking down the Father Spada was ordained a the whole of the occupants were counters and disfiguring the priest and came to the Church of thrown out. Meanwhile Charlie walls. A big crowd gathered Our Lady of the Holy Rosary at divested himself of several outside the premises, and Kowloon, and that day they com- waistcosts and gallantly, rushed eventually the foki came out and memorated a feast, which was to the rescue. Among other items made for the Sing On warehouse. slways a great event in the life of were the pillow-fighting contests, in the same street, the door of a pricet. The preacher referred to riding the donkey, "The Barber" which he broke in. The inmates the duties demanded of a priest, and other amusing sketches. The of this store bec me alarmed, but ence and diligence, and at much providing much laughter, the A Police Reservist named Mok ness, use presonal sacrifice, to his duties. War Charities benefited to the Sin-po (No. 136), who lives in Des Vooux Road, heard the whistles, of that 23 years at Kowloon, with The events were as follows:- and, attired only in a singlet and the exception of a short period 50 Yards Handicap. -1, Johns- trousers, rushed to the scene, the dainty little lexitives, which an obligation be was called upon | Plunging (Distance).-1, Eng- him what was wrong. The latter chemists, or post fee 80 cents and Japanese Curios, Bronzes, of Milen, with its magnificent Pillow Fighting.-1, McCrae; on the head with a bar of iron Medicine Co., 96 Sz chuen Rosd, and then struck him a llow on Shanghai. 50 Yarda Burdle Race.—I, the arm, breaking a gold bangle which the latter was wearing. of a wooden chair with which to protect himself and the two men upper hand and laid the other out, but not before he had received some hasty injuries himself. Two lukongs then appeared TX/E have been requested by on the scene and the foki, who VV

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only her mother to see she was

She could not sit still. She had

poor appetile -except for

TO-DAY'S

SHELL TRANSPORT AND NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

was by this time unconscious, announce that new shares will THE Steamship Diving, high and low.-1, was conveyed to the Police be issued to present shareholders Station. Both the foki and the at par (£1) in the proportion of Police Reservis: are now in I new share to 4 old shares. The on 14th July may be utilized to showed great bravery in tackling Shareholders should deposit

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DAIRY FARM NEWS.



HOT WEATHER HEADACHES.

eaying that during the whole whole affair was a huge success, one of them telephoned to the A frequent cause of summer time that Rev. Father Spada and the hope was expressed that police for help, while people in headaches is torpid liver. To had been amongst them he had before long another similar event the neighbouring shops com- stimulate the liver, di-pel Condevoted himself with great rever- might be arranged, for besides menced blowing police whistles, stipation, sick headaches, bilious-

PINKETTES

approached the foki and asked act as gently as nature. Of replied by hitting the Reservist the vial, from Dr. Williams', Silver-ware and Electro plate.

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SHIPPING NEWS. THE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PRO

Shipping at Newchwang. Mr. C E S. Wakefield Commissioner of Customs at Newchwang in his report of 1916 states .- Ent ies for the year number 341, with a tonnage of 361, 30-a decrease of 45 vessels and a tonnave of rrailer The decrease under the British flag is 54 vessels, representing 86,75 time; while the Jaranese has dropred by 6. representing 126.184 tons, and the Uninesa by 12, although the tonnage of the latter has sligh ly increased.

Dalren Shipping! Dealing with the shipping of the Port of Daireo, Mr. T. Kbara Acting Commissioner of the Maritio e Customs at that port in his report for 1916 says:- The total number of vessels entered and cleared exceeded that of the previous year by 247, but the aggregate tunnage was less by some 496,000 tons. Of the steamers of various nationalities. the British further diminished by 120 wessels, of 2080 0 tons. showing that more ships have been withdrawn from service.

Japanese steamers numbered almost the same as in 19.5, but the tonnage fell off by 323,000 tons. As the regular services of Japanese steamers between this port and Japan, Shanghai, Tientsin, etc., have, been maintained almost the same as in ante-war time, the diminution must have been brought about by the scarcity of larger-type trimp steamers which sou bt m re lu rative employment elsewhere. It may be interesting to n to, as an evidence of this statement, that of 56 larg -1xpe steamers on the registry of the Kwantung government general seven are at present empl yed in 🦼 European waters. 12 are plying in American waters, 26 are in the Suth Sea. Australian, and Indian waters, and only the remaining 11 ply in this part of the world. It was noted in the Trade Report for 1915 that the trade of the port w s being borne; by smaller-type vessels. The average tonnage per vessel for the present year has been further reduced by a large increase in the number of sailing vessels entered and cleared Compared with the figures for 1915, the volume of inward cargo increased by some 62,0 0 tons, owing to a flourishing import trade, wh le that of export fell off by more than 220.00 tons on account of a large diminution of beans and cere is exported. The app eciation of freight rates noted in last year's Trade Report has continued throughout the year, and the rates have now soared up to almost incredible figures.

Chefoo Harbour Improvement Work.

Mr. A. Qu den, the Commis-

sioner of Custon's of Chefoo. in

his report for 1916, *ays: - Dalays, as was to be expected occurred. Thes gave rise to much cuticist of the co tractors' methods by the public, as they were chiefly, in connection with the mora noticeable work, nam ly, the launching, placing in position and filling in of the big caisson for the southern and of the breakwater; the keying of the first line of blocks into the caisson; and the washing away twice of the island in the line of the mole-due to construction being a tempted so late in the autumn that gales caught it in an unfin shed condition It was always doubtful whether this work would be practicable until some protection is afforded by the breakwater. However much Cargo taken on through Bills of lading for Kudat, Jesselton, Laboun; Tawan and Lahad Datu. under-water work, which makes n, si n, of the most diffcult nature has been done. -900 feet of the foundation of the breakwater has been rassed by the engineer in chie' of the commissio , and a further 900 feet awalts weather favourable fo the diver's inspection; a great part of the foundation of the mole has been comple ed and sufficient has been built up thereon to show the line clearly in rough wea her and part of it at low water. As a large number of locks are ready to be placed in position there is every or spect of some hundreds of feet of the bre kwater being above water by next autumn; 30 per cent. of the big blocks thereg. , for a d 9 per cent. of the small blocks are made. 6/25 hs of the work has, indeed, been done, fivepayments therefor having been made to the contracters - Hir Tis-535,400 in all. The Russo Asiatic Bank allows the commis is n an overdraft pending the completion of a loan. In the early part of the year there was some agitation by the maeters f vessels against the conditions in the anchorage

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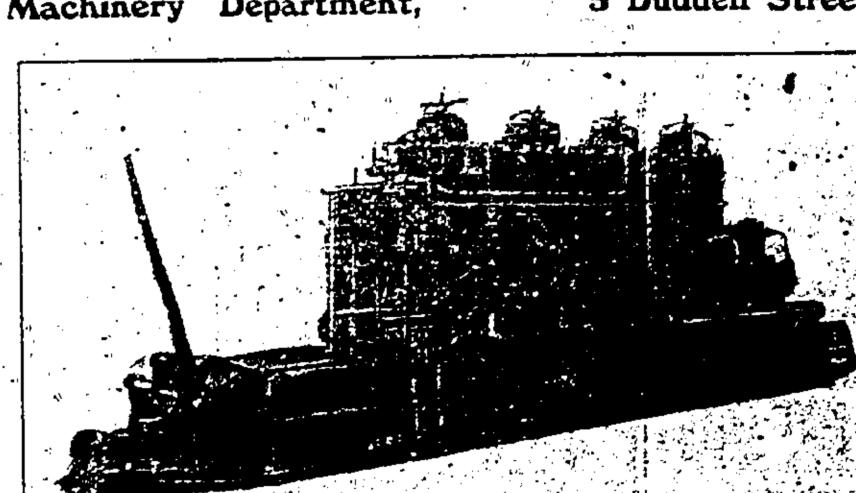
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FOOD SCARCITY IN POLAND.

Zurich, June 34 Three hundred and fifty thousand people are daily fed in the communal kitchens. The Warsaw Municipality has established an Evacuation Bureau to assist in the removal of persons dependent on the community. Eighty thousand people have left Lodz to escape starvation.

ALLEGED SWISS INTRIQUE.

Paris, June 24. M. Ribot has communicated to the Committee of the Chamber certain documents proving that the German legation at Berne inspired the Hofmann-Grimm intrigue and was also instrumental in promoting the anarchist campaign in Russia.

AUSTRIAN CABINET CRISIS:

Amsterdam, June 24. A Vienna message received here states that it was the Czech's, passionate rejection of all offers that led to the failure to reconstruct the Cabinet.

THE MARQUESS OF CAMBRIDGE.

London, June 24. It is understood that the Duke of Teck will become the Marquess of Cambridge.

THE SILVER MARKET.

NEWS FROM CANTON.

Government.

opinion. Wong Tin-chang, the

Defence Commissioner of Canton,

who had been sent to see

him on important matters, has

returned to Canton and reported

to the Civil Governor, Chu Hing-

ian, that General Luk has issued

orders to have his headquarters

immediately completed. Hence-

be conducted there.

At a meeting in the Military

forenoon of the 24th inst., at

which all the political parties

and military commanders were

(the Tukwan) stated that Kwang-

tung and Kwangsi Provinces had

only declared their autonomy,

and not their independence,

hoping that this would not be

misinterpreted. He said the proper

meaning of autonomy was non-

recognition of the illegal Cabinet

and a correction of its actions.

alarmed. He then ordered that

the following articles should be

ment has been by the Military

and not by the President's

1. The dissolving of Parlia-

2. Henceforth we only re

cognise the President but not the

Cabinet nor the illegal Constitu-

3. "No Parliament" is equal

we will carry out both civil and

4. The Takwan will be respons

5. All the troops in the Pro-

6. A Military Expenses Depart-

Lien Li-kwan (who

A "Heavenly Step."

To save paper, the Wesleyan

pablished:

sional Assembly.

Canton, June.24.

London, June 24. "Silver is very steady.

MACAO GOVERNMENT.

Senhor Mala No Louger Governor.

The Two Kwangs and the Peklug It appears from the Macac Government Gasette that His Ex. cellency the Governor, (Senlier | From our Own Correspondent.) S. E. J. C. da Mais], who is on leave, has been relieved of office by the Liebon Government, and that official matters will for the time being be administered by the Conselho do Governo combas so far not revealed his posed of the Acting Governor, the Judge and a high military officer

POLICE RESERVIST CHARGED.

Alleged Theft from Cigarette

forth, important military matters The hearing was continued as the Folice Court this siternoon affecting the two Provinces of the case in which a Portuguese Police Beservist, named Governor a yamen, held on the Joe Henry Belbran, stande with stealing ter cents from a cigarette stat and also with obtaining from the represented, Chan Ping-kwan same man a packet of cigarettes by menaces.

Mr. B. C. Faithful prosecuted and the defence was represented by Mr. Leo D'Almada

Complainantetated that defend ant had been to his stall on two or three occasions and once he took a ten-cent piece and another time he threstened that if he did not give him some cigarettes, he. He would therefore be responsible as a Police Sergeant, would .. see that he was shifted from his and the people should not be

After a lengthy cross-examination by Mr. D'Almada, it was arranged between him and Mr. Faithful that the charges should be withdrawn, and this was done. by permission of the Court, the orders. defendant being bound over.

ALLEGED COAL THEFT.

Sampan's Visits to a Steamer. to "No Government; therefore

The story of a bold their was military affairs with absolute told; at the Police Court this power, but will regularly make a morning, when a Chinese was report to the President. charged with being concerned in stealing half-s-ton of coal from a the for the tranquility of the steamer lying off Wanchai. Mr. whole Proviuce. Mattingley appeared for defendant, who denies the charge.

It was stated by Sergeant Bond Tukwan. of the Water Police, that on police whietles being sounded hope that all classes will volunfrom the ship, and, proceed tarily subscribe thereto. that some coal janks, moored will act in conformity with the slongeide the versel, had Kwangsi Province. been raided by some men in sampans. The man in the sam attached to Lung Chai-kwong mans had clambered on to the last year) has demanded, Police. He chased assumpan which out delay. which he could see some coal, and mwit go alongeide a junk, which he boarded. He found the defendant hidden in the hold, but Methodist Missionary Society the other three had made good largely reduced its annual report their escape. The coal belonged by leaving out individual aubto the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.

ecriptions, which the treasurer A remand was asked for, and described as a heavenly step this was granted until Saturday forced on them by the exigencies of the times. morning.

CHINESE CONVICTS DASH FOR LIBERTY.

> FXTRAORDINARY OCCURRENCE.

June 9, the correspondent of the less, he writes cheerfully and says of June 19. The slarm was rewas made manifest in this large a legal firm here:results as here.

Many prisoners are incarcerated came out at my right hip. societies that are in existence.

with many others, and no doubt progress later. looking forward to nothing but death whenever a death warrant might appear, conspired to escape With regard to the independfrom the clutches of the law, and ence of Kwangtung, General it would seem-if reports are Luk Wing-ting, the Military correct—that prisoners in other Inspector of the two Provinces, cities had also decided to effect

their escape on the same day and

even at the same hour. This reveals an undercurrent small quantities of paraffin pil it would have been serious to the cause of the outbreak, the of the prison was attacked by the there had been some definite plan Brigade had to withdraw at once said he took les snapped from one of the pri- extent of the configuration could The fire in the British Concestone one or two reasons. directions, along the principal that once "fire breaks out its spreading was over. The Most of the men promoting the etreet and down the quieter side it is difficult to check the damage done is very considerable, institution had been trained in for the order of the two Provinces. into the street everyone closed and | kirts of the fire before the fismes | heavy blow.

soldiers had been drafted off to city wall.

they had time to escape. and in one place, on the elopes of penalty where necessary.

ignited very easily. The yamen perhaps, not a few penaless.

FIRE IN TENTSIN.

Hongkong Man's Serious Injuries.

With kind regards, Yours very sincerely, (Sd) THOS. FULLER.

2nd Lieut. Fuller's brother was badly wounded at the beginning of the war.

Millet stalks used as mattresses and as very little could be done to the scene.

and there was pandemonium. | truction would have been very ent spectacle from nearly every it for the last two or three years. He

the east that day, so that it seem- The Governor of the province, on by the various brigades adequate ed to be a must favourable time whose home is in this city, was made any impression upon the properly supervised for the venture. However, the soon acquainted with the affair flames, which leapt high into responsible Government. very few soldiers there were in and telegraphed instructions to the air, lighting up the sky long as it was practically the yamen opened fire on the last put all prisoners and yamen for miles around. There was impossible to remit money from of the escaping men who were runners to death, but a further fortunately but little wind, place to place in China except then just emerging out on to the telegram came the same and what there was blowing at rates varying from five to fifty street, and shot 10 of them before evening ordering the re- towards Victoria Road, or the per cent., there would be somecapture of the prisoners, an damage would have been very thing wrong with Chinese com- Hunghom Docks, was charged The city was scoured and many inquiry into the whole occurrence, much greater than was actually merce. He did not believe that before Mr. Dyer Ball, at the Police of the men were shot on sight and the infliction of the death the case. As it was, all the any other country in the world Court this morning, with stealing

Messrs. Jardine's Godowns

The many friends in Hongkong | A disastrous fire broke out in Four Hundred Prisoners Escape. of 2nd Lieut. Thos. Fuller, 6th "B" Godown, belonging to Boyal West Kents, will be sorry Messre. Jardine, Matheson and the opening of the undertaking, ad with the expenditure at the to learn that he has been rather Co. in Tientsin on Friday ever-Writing from Yinchowfu on regionaly wounded. Neverthe-ling, says the N. C. Daily News N. C. Daily News contributed he hopes once again to get into ceived at about 7.35 p.m., two the following account of an the firing line. The following hours after the godown had been extraordinary incident. A very letter from 2nd Lieut. Fuller was looked up, and all the Fire Briserious state of affairs, he says, received recently by a member of gades were promptly despatched The prime object is to institute week of the recent offensive, he to the scene of the outbreak, says a sound banking system through- said, was twice that to the first prefectural city in north-west. Dear Mr. -- I am sorry to have the P. & T. Times. The fire Anbui on Friday evening, June to report that I was temporarily rapidly developed, and the godown 1. From news which has reached put out of action in the battle of in which it originated, containing such facilities operates very mat- 61/2 times that of the second week us from other sources, it would Arras on the 9th April. I had the cotton, hemp, etc. was soon a mass crially against the development of the Somme. The expenditure appear that several cities in this misfortune to stop a machine gun of flames, which rose in consider- of the country. Practically all of gun ammunition of the British. region had similar experiences, bullet an hour after we had gone able volume to a great height, the subscribers and shareholders Army in that offensive had never

in the county good these days. They kept me at the Casualty with such ferocity that fears were been studying American bank, the Army was in a position to and the trouble seems to have Clearing Station for nine days, entertained for the sufety of the ing methods. The President is Mr. increase it during the second arisen in these places of confine before it was deemed safe to passe adjoining constructions. The T. T. Cheng, formerly of the week, and it was in marked conment. The country is and always me on, and I'm now at the Base Chinese Post Office and one or Hong On Insurance Co., at Singa- treat to the experience on the has been overrun, to some extent, waiting until the time comes two other houses on the Victoria pore, the Vice-President being Somme, when the first week a by evilly-disposed men, as is when the doctors consider it will Road side of the block were Mr. Jan Ke-choy. The Treasurer bombardment was never again evidenced by the many secret be wise to move me to England. [vacuated, the furniture and is Mr. Wai Man-lau, the other reached. It will be some weeks before I office paraphernalia being re- directors being Mr. L. Shin-chenk Germany had forced deported Speaking for this centre, it am fit for service again, although moved to the pavements. and Dr. Chan Git-cho, of Shanghai. labour into her workshops and would seem that not a few of the I'm supposed to have made a It was quite obvious that it would The authorised capital of the un- factorise, and we must not allow prisoners belonged to the society wonderful recovery to date." be useless to sudesyour to control dertaking is one million dollars, ourselves to be beaten in this called the "Tatao Heui" (a well As I have only begun to take he fismes in the 'B" Godown, Hongkong currency, but this will industrial war. We should be known and very prominent secret an interest in life again during and the firemen, displaying the be altered in the course of few blind to all the lessons of the war society in the country during the the last few days, and am still utmost energy and resource in days now to £500,000, made up if we did anything to diminish terrible Boxer year). These pri- very weak, I'll close for the pre- very difficult oircumstances, of flahares. soners shut up as they have been sent, and will advise you how I devoted all their exprts to con- In addition to a large number productive power for war. fining the outbreak to its original of Chinese, a good few European Tre submarine menace was limits. In this they were un business men were present, serious, and before it was : successful, so fierce were the among those noticed being Mr. overcome it was essential that we flames, and the machinery go- O. D. Wilkinson, Mr. Percy Smith, should be able to put into the down and the whole block known Mr. "G. P. Lammert, Mr. G. shipbuilding industry every skillas Victoria Boilding became in- Tisdall, Mr. J. D. F. Mu'der, Mr. ed man available. The same volved. The fire was still blazing G.E. Anderson, (American Consul applied to agricultural implewith unabated destructiveness General), Mr. Ho Kwong, Mr. ments. That was the case, for ... left, but it was hoped that the and others. Chartered Bank, on one side and which runs far and deep. There buildings were soon all ablaze, the International Bank on the been made by the President, who dilution. were 400 prisoners within the and very lew of them escaped de other would be saved. At the explained the coming into ex- One of the principal clauses of

oil, placed in one of the rooms the fire would travel so quickly outbreak had occurred in Messre, opened in the interior. occupied by the prisoners, and and so far and they had no Takeuchi's godown, in the Japanthe whole set ableze. The keeper opportunity to save anything. If ese Concession and the Japanese in the course of a brief speech,

The official was absent from much less, but no one did this part of the Concession. It had was firmly convinced, after workthe city at the time, in some other and the fire extended until it gained such a hold by the time ing in Chinese trade for thirteen part of the province, and many reached the open spaces, near the the slarm was given that it was a or fourteen years, that the first long time before the streams put great need of China was an

ting the prison on fire have been parrowest part, and the flames wall or ceilings gave, way. A con- served. very disastrous. As the night was were fanned by a north-east wind stant stream of sparks poured darkening there were prospects of against the city wall. If the wind westward across the road, and it a tremendous configration, as a had been blowing from any other was a marvel that fresh fires were

NEW BANK.

Interesting Reception This Afternoon.

There was quite a large attendneeds more belp financially than Bill. at least in a measure, though not over the top of the ridge. The being visible from a wide radius. are overseas Chinese, mainly been exceeded. It was 28 per fraught with such disastrous bullet entered my left side, passed Godown "B" is situated in American, and the heads of the cent. heavier than during the through my stomach and finally the centre of an important block bank have been students at first week. In spite of the terrific of buildings, and the fire spread American Universities and have bombardment of the first week,

and fury when our representative Look Poo Shan, Mr. M. K. Lo, the Bill, and he hoped the House.

A speech in Chinese having the extension of the principle of prison walls, and for some time struction. If the fire had been moment of writing no definite in- istence of the concern the Vice. the messure, Mr. wellaway forseveral of them had been buying confined to these official quarters formation had been obtained as President dealt with the great ther explained, was to secure need for good banking facilities in that awards made by arbitration (things are easily obtainable by enough, but as the Chinese spectacular nature of which China, and said that it was hoped bodies in regard to wages should convicts in Chinese prisons). thatched houses soon catch fire, attracted large numbers of people to bring the interior into closer be applied generally, and not commercial touch with the large merely to individual disputes. had also been bound together, to prevent it spreading, it was All the foreign Brigades, in- ports and foreign countries, a fact On a division the second readand when the day and hour of realised that tremendous damage cluding the Japanese, come to the that would make for the greater ing was carried by 100 votes to their deliverance had arrived, would be done. The houses on assistance of the British firemen, development of the country. As ten. viz., Friday at 7 p.m., these several streets were destroyed. but an bour or two after the alarm soon as the bank got thoroughly bundles were saturated with the The people did not expect that it became known that a serious under way, branches would be

The American Consul General,

prisoners and beaten with shack. of procedure in case of fire the to cope with this conflagration. interest in that new bank, for soner's bound feet, and in a few very well have been reduced. The sion was still blazing foriously was that the capital was largely. minutes there was a regular houses are built so closely togeth- at 1 am. to-day (Jane 16), but subscribed by American and other stream of fugitives rushing for er, with very isw interesections, it was then believed that unless overseas Chinese, and another was their lives. They went in all except, by small narrow passages, the wind changed, the danger of because it was a native bank. streets, as as well as on to the city Asmes. If several honass had the loss of Mesers. Jardine's foreign countries, and had at one wall. As soon as these men got been demolished around the out machinery being a particularly time or another studied American banking methods, one of them barred their shops and houses, had extended so far, the destruc. The fire presented a magnific having made a thorough study of banking

recidences and businesses in the could bear up against that a quantity of electric wire from the city wall, 70 of the convicts This affair happened just as vicinity appeared to be in danger great burden represented by the Dock, valued at \$35. The were decapitated; their escape had everyone was busy resping the for some time, and the Chartered, that tax on its commerce, man was seen walking past been cut off by the wall and they splendid harvest, and I suppose and International Banks, and China must have an adequate Hunghom Police Station with a were all huddled together. One many people whose houses were other institutions, had their books banking system and also a stable bag, and a constable, being or two tried to get free by jumping destroyed were absent from the and even some of their furniture currency. Perhaps currency suspicious of its contents, searchover the high wall, but this, too, city. To try and combat the fire temoved, or collected for removal. should come first, but both were sed it and found the wire. His Saturday afternoon he heard ment will be established, in the brought them to a speedy end. hand-buckets were used by the A detachment of 18th Infantry necessary. In the present insti- Worship passed sentence of two Many got out of the city hundred, but what are these im kept the public back from the tution they saw some young men, months' hard labour and four to hide among the waving plements, against such a fire? fire-lines. The French engine well trained, undertaking a great hours' stocks. to the spot, learned 7. In case any doubts arise, we corn, hoping to get away when Moreover the water had to be was working from a hydrant enterprise with the full know. Alleged Conspiracy to Defraud. darkness set in, but soldiers enter- drawn from wells or ditches-s in Victoria Road. The British ledge of the responsibility, and At the Police Court this aftering the gate were acquainted with slow and tedious undertaking. and German engines pumped he thought that on behalf noon, the case was heard in which the matter and they made escape Several hand cylinders were straight from the river. When of the foreign banks, -as two men were charged with conimpossible for many and they also used to eject water on the the fire really got hold well as of the traders spiring against the Wing On were shot down. Many, however, burning buildings, but as the jet of Victoria Buildings it pre- generally, he could wish them Company to defraud the Compjunks and stolen the coal, making strong terms, that an Army should made good their escape, and not of water is small and cannot be sented a really amazing spectacle. good luck in what they were any of \$117.60 Mr. F. B. L. Bowof on seeing the arrival of the be despatched to the North with- a few are still at large. thrown far, not much could be Flames poured out of every win- about to commence.—(Applause.) ley appeared for the Company, All this in itself is no small expected from these appliances. dow, and every few minutes there Other speeches in Chinese were Mr. Grist and Mr. Mattingly for

> quickly and fauned the flames would have been totally destroy. Victoria Buildings had been com. burn itself out in this block. The payment for goods supplied to into a gigantic fire. The weather, ed. Several hundred homes have pletely gutted by the time we went firemen from both sides were the Company. The bill bore the too, was exceedingly dry, and been demolished, and many of the to Press but, unless the sparks making frantic efforts to prevent signature of Shing Hing. Further therefore grass roofs became inhabitants are now homeless and start other fires westward of the flames apreading northward evidence was taken and the case Victoria Road there seemed every or southward.

GROWTH OF SHELL FIRE.

Never Been Exceeded in British

ance at the offices of the Industrial Some highly interesting statand Commercial Bank, Ltd., 6, letics relating to the expenditure Des Voeux Boad, this afternoon, of ammunition in the first week a reception being held to mark of the recent offensive as compar-The new concern has been pro- Somme Battle were given by Mr. moted by a number of Chinese who | Kallaway in the House of Comhave studied abroad, and who have | mona in moving the second readcome to the conclusion that China ling of the Munitions of War

politically at the present time. The expenditure in the first out the country, especially in the week of the Somme battle and the interior, where the absence of expenditure of the second week

lour industrial efficiency or oar

would agree to the proposal for

MORE SHIPS.

Can Japan Help the Allies?

The following telegram is from

the Japan Chronicle: New York, June 9.-The New York Times will print to-morrow

dispatch from Washington stating that it is understood the Allies will soon ask Japan to give a larger supply of her ships for transport purposes. Now that ships constitute the

greatest need of the Allies, and insemuch as Japan possesses sufficient to spare a considerable number of ships for war purposes and still have enough for her own needs, it is considered certain system, that the Tokyo Government will be requested to contribute to the needs of the Allies in this direc-

> Dock Theft: An electrician employed at the

affair, but the consequences of set. The fire attacked the city at its were terrifying crashes as interior made, and afterwards tea was the defendants. It was stated by the accountant of the Company that the first defendant walked into his office strong north-eastly windsprang up direction probably this large city not started in this direction. probability that the fire would with a Chinese bill and requested.

TELEGRAMS.

Reuter's Service to The " Telegraph.")

YESTERDAY S

TELEG RAMS.

THE WESTERN FRONT,

London, June 22. A French communique reports:-The artillery struggle continued to the east of Vanx Aillon and extend ed, in the night, to the region south of Filian and north of Braye-en-Laonnois, where it was very violent.

The Germans, yesterday evening, attacked on the crest of Teton in Champagne and to the east of that place, on a front of 400 metres. They penetrated our advanced elements but were driven out after lively fighting. We entirely re-established

London, June 23. A French communique says: The bombardment of our positions south of Filain and in the region of Braye-en Laonnois continued until this morning. A series of most violent attacks followed. The Germans hunched large forces composed of , special troops on a front of over kilometres. The attack was most stubborn despite the heavy losses inflicted, but the enemy afforts were broken for the greater part and their waves of assault were driven back to the starting-off trenches. We held the positions except in the centre where the enemy penetrated, after several attempts, into a salient in our line.

London, June 23. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports: We repulsed raiders eastward of Epohy, the enemy leaving several dead on our wire. We took a few wounded prisoners. An enemy attempt on Gillemont Farm in the same neighbourhood failed. aeroplaues co-operated with the artillery with good results despite the bad weather. We brought down one enemy aeroplane and drove down six. Three of ours are miss-

FRENCH SHIPPING FIGURES.

Paris, June 23. It has been announced in the Chamber that the French mercantile marine has lost 560,000 tone since for war service. the war, but 680,000 tons have since been built and purchased and 140,-000 tons are completing, whereas Germany has lost two and a half million tons, half her fleet,

DISSENSION IN RUSSIA.

Petrograd, June 23. The Pan-Russian Congress of Workmens' and Soldiers' Delegates has demanded the immediate convocation of a Constituent Assembly and the formation of a body representing organised democracy including peasants.

The Cossacks have demanded an offensive in conjunction with the Allies.

at Sevastopol, mostly of sailors, at which was discussed the alleged deputation of London Unionist Aro-Tsarism of certain officers. After members of the House of Commons · the meetings delegates of the garrison on the subject of profiteering. demanded the resignation of Admiral Koltchak. Commander-in-Chief of the Black Sea Fleet. The Government summoned Admiral Koltchak to Petrograd to explain the happenings and Admiral Kolt- the Presidency of the Local Governchak replied insisting on being all ment Board. lowed to resign.

Amsterdam, June 23. Three hundred more Russian exiles have arrived from Baden proceeding to Russia.

Petrograd, June 23. Government has formally censured General Polotzeff, Commandant of Petrograd, for releasing anarchists who seized a newspaper office, thus disobeying orders,

ON THE RUSSIAN FRONT.

.. London, June 23. A wireless Russian official message says: Our detachments attacked a position to the west of Keilkit and bayonetted the Turkish defendeast. Only, a few escaped. defeated the Kurds to the north of Serdesht and occupied the summit. The advance continues.

SWI ZERLAND'S RUSSIAN MINISTER RECALLED.

Berne, June 23. The Federal Council has instructed the Minister for Switzerland at the Holmann-Grimm affair."

TELEGRAMS.

THE COTTON CRISIS.

London, June 23. After the conference with Sir A: Stanley to-day, the President of the Liverpool Cotton Association telegraphed to the Liverpool Cotton Exchange that he hoped to submit scheme for the re-opening of the market on a restricted scale on

Sir A. Stanley conferred with the Liverpool cotton representatives at length. The proceedings were prirate, but it is understood the proposals included a recommendation the Government to take over import of cotton similar to the wool imports control. The conference will resume to-morrow.

London, June 23. It is understood that it is most unlikely that the Government will assume control of the cotton trade. but it is thought likely that it will formulate a scheme whereby it will ration supplies to the cotton spin-

Baltimore, June 23. The Board of Managers of the Cotton Exchange has informed its members that it will regard with extreme disfavour action tending to cause unnecessary variations in the price of cotton.

AMERICA AND THE WAR.

Washington, June 23. The Belgian Mission received an ovation in the Senate. Rumanian Mission has arrived on the Pacific coast.

New York, June 20. Signor Marconi, speaking at a luncheon to the Italian Mission, expressed the opinion that the United States can float one and a half million tons, of new ships by the end of the year and double this out put next year.

Washington, June 23. An early reduction of ocean freight rates is expected as a result of the conferences between the Allied and American Governments.

Washington, June 20. Nearly ten million men between the ages of 21 and 30 have enrolled

". Washington, June 23. The subscriptions to the Liberty Loan have surpassed the highest estimates of the Treasury officials, exceeding three billion dollars.

It is officially reported that the Liberty Loan totalled \$3,035,226,850. The over-subscription is nearly 52

THE HOME FOOD QUESTION

London, June 23. A deputation of Trade Unions has urged on Lord Rhondda the State purchase of imported foodstuffs. the commandsering of home products on ships and the retaining of supplies at equitable prices includ-Strong meetings have been held ing a 6d. quartern loaf.

Lord Rhondda has received a

PRESIDENCY OF THE L.O.B. London, June 23. Mr. J. H. Thomas has declined

MORE BEER.

London, June 23. It is understood that the beer barrelage will be increased by 50

DEATH OF GENERAL BROADWOOD.

London, June 23. Lt. General R.G. Broadwood has died of wounds.

News of the death of General Broadwood will be learned with deep regret in Hongkong. where for two years he was General Officer Commanding the troops, his name being perpetuated here by Broadwood Road.]

THE IRISH CONVENTION.

London, June 23. The Ulster Unionist representatives to the Irish Convention are the Marquis of Londonderry, Sir George Clarke, Mr. Hugh Barrie M.P., Col. Robert Wallis and Mr. Michael

The Nationalist representatives are Mesars. John Redmond, Dillon, Petrograd to return and report on Clancy, Devlin, and Stephen

TELEGRAMS.

CANADIAN CONSCRIPTION.

Ottawa, June 23. One of the most forcible speeches in favour of the Conscription Bill in the House of Commons was delivered by Mr. Pardee, the chie Liberal whip, who deeply regretted the necessity of dissent from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who had moved the referendum as an amendment. M Pardee favoured a final trial volunteering before adopting con scription. It was Canada's bounden duty, he said, to reinforce the men prominent Liberal member for Sa katoon, also supported the Bill.

IMPROVEMENT IN RUSSIAN ARMY'S SPIRIT.

London, June 23. visited General Brussiloff's headquarters says there is a marked improvement in the fighting spir of the army during the last six weeks. Gen. Brussiloff's person ality and prestige have worked

THE GREEK CRISIS.

. Atkens, June 23. M. Venizolos was received firs by M. Zaimis" and later by Venizelist members of the Commission for the Unification of Greece M. Venizelos is confident of the success of the Commission.

GERMAN SOCIALISTS AT STOCKHOLM.

Stockholm, June 23. The German minority Socialists Herren Haase. Bernstein. Kautsky have found encouragement in the Borneos and Stadthaken have arrived.

DANISH POLITICAL TROUBLES.

Copenhagen, June 23. tensen has resigned following the example of M. Nottboel.

HUNGER RIOTS AT STETTING

London, June 23. A telegram from Stockholm states that hunger riots at Stetting were quelled by the troops threatening to use nuchine guns.

HUGE FOREST FIRE.

Amsterdam, June 23. Seven thousand acres of fores have been burned down at Letzin-

RELIEF FOR A'R RAID VICTIMS.

London, June 23. H. M. the King has donated £200 mir-raid.

STEADY SILVER MARKET.

London, June 23. Silver is 392d, per oz. The market it chiefly for trade demand and

THE SUBMARINE MENACE.

Views of the Entente Mission.

Washington, May 3.-While members of the Entente Missions share the alarm of American officials at the growing in roads of the submarine menace, they do not regard the situation as in any sense fatal. It means their view a of every great self-denial and further restrictions, but they do not credit in the least any opinion that it is certain to lead to starvation or the loss of the war

at the front. Mr. McCranep. a They are counting on ships, men, money from the States, and possibly American inventive genius, to outweigh the U-be at terror. Critical as the Entente situation is made to appear; Entente diplemais say it is as nothing to the insuperable difficulties of Ger. Sugars

The "Times" correspondent who many, almost entirely hidden under the censorship. It is quite poseible, they say, that Mr. Her. Kailans bert C. Hover's figures of eight- Langkats een million cattle in the Central Raubs Empires are correct, but a distribution of these and other supplies is almost impossible when Germany's military recessities are so seriously overcrowding the H. K. Wharves

railroade. That the submarine mensce and ways to combat it by increased shipping, freight selection, and naval co-operation are the main Centrals interest of the British Mission has become evident. Other matters before the Commission, however vital, are being subordinated. The British naval officers, in coming to this country, hoped to get a considerable number of small boats to use as submarine chasers, but they have been disappointed to discover that the few available are needed here." The British shipping experts, howev r, efforts of the Shipping Board and the availability of many German

Proposed curtailment of nonessential freight now being H. K. Ice Co., carried to Europe would give Ropes increased tonusge for necessay Steel Foundries The Liberal Minister M. Chris- supplies. The American Govern- Trams, Low Level b. ment has agreed not only to Trams, Peak old n. restrict imports, as the British Trams, Peak, new n. already do, but to impose export restrictione, authorised by the

Bill now pending in Congress. One of the uncertainties of the situation is ignorance of the number of U-boats Germany is build-Admiral de Chair has estimated this at two or three a week, but many officials here believe it possible to turn out many more on standard plans.

Advertiser's Fortune. Mr. Francis Reckitt, of Butler's Court, Beaconsfield, Buckingham sbire, joint chairman of Reckitt and Sone, Ltd., manufacturers of Reckitt's Blue, who died on 25th January, aged 90, has left a fortune of £1,007,165 unsettled estate: Reckitt and Sone, Ltd., have always shown great faith in bold and judicious advertising. for the relief of the victims of the Among large fortunes left by proprietors of much-advertised commodities are those of Sir Joseph Beecham, whose will for the purpose of probate was sworn at £1,000,000 last January : Mr. G. Taylor Fulford (Dr. Williams' Pink Pills), £1 311,000; Mr. J. Crossley Eno (Eno's Fruit Salt). £1,611,607.

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Hongkong, 12th March, 1917.

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THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

THURSDAY, the 28th. JUNE; 1917,

commencing at 10.30 a.m. at bis Sales Rooms, Duddell Street.

Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture.

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THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Liquidators of Messrs. Jebsen & Co. in pursuance of an order of the Hongkong Government, to sell by public auction at 12 o'clock (NOON) on TUESDAY the 31st day of July, 1917, at his sales moms, Duddell Street,

THE VALUABLE LEASE-HOLD PROPERTY situate at The Peak, Hongkong and being Reral Building Lot No. 19.

In One Lot. The property consists of: -

The piece or parcel of ground and premises known "Lysholt," 104 The Peck, situate near Mount Gough in the Colony the afternoon of Hongkong with an area of 124,032 square feet and registered in the Land Offices as Rural Building Lot No. 19.

the lot is held for the unexpired residue of a term of 75. years created therein by an injenture of Crown Lease dated the 21rd day of April, 1896.

The Annual Crown Rest is **385-60.** The further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Mesara Wilkinson & Gri-t, Solicitors for the Liquidators or

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PARTICULARS AND CONDI-TIONS of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land above Bowen Road in the Colony of Hongkong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor, of His Majesty the King, for one further. term of 75 years.

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PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

By direction of the Government of Hongkong Messrs. HUGHES & HOUGH have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

the 13th day of August, 1917. at 3 p.m. at their Sales Room, "Ice House Street. Victoria,

MONDAY

Hongkong. The Following Valuable Leasehold Property situate at Victoria Hongkong Viz:

ALL THOSE pieces or parcels. THE of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid and known and registered in the Land Office as SECTION A OF MARINE LOT NO 101 and SECTION B OF MARINE LOT No. 101. 10tions and buildings thereon Central, Victoria aforesaid-Term 999 years created by Crown Lease cated the 8th day

cf April, 1856. Area in respect of Section A o. Marine Lot No. 101 - 445 Eq. ft Proportion of Annual Crown Rent \$84 45.

Area in respect of Section B of Marine Lot No. 101-675 Sq. ft. Proportion of Annual Crown Rent \$6.75.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

> JOHNSON STOKES & MASTER,

Prince's Buildings. Ice House Street. Hongkong. Sale may be had from: Solicitors for the Liquidators of THE DEUTSCH ASIATISCHE BANK,

or to HUGHES & HOUGH, The Auctioneers. Hougkong, 9th May, 1917.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Liquidator of Messrs. Reuter Brockelmann & Co., F.A.A.B. Brockelmann, E. R. Fuhrmann, Heinrich Heyn and the Estate of E. C. L. Reuter deceased in IN view of repeated enquiries pursuance of an order of the Hongkong Government to sell by the undersigned, notice is hereby Public Auction at 3 o'clock in

FRIDAY

the 31st day of August, 1917 at their Auction Rooms, at No. 8

Des Vœux Road, Central THE VALUABLE LEASE-HOLD PROPERTY

situate and heing Inland Lots Nos. 611, 612, 66' and 653. Victoria, Honokong.

In Two Lots.

Lot One consists of the pieces or parcels of ground registered in the Land Office as Inland Lots Nos. 611 and 662 together with Godown No. 195 Wanchai Road.

situate thereon. Lot Two consists of the pieces or parcels of ground registered in the Land Office as Inland Lots Nos. 612 and 663 together with Godown No. 127 Wanchai Road

situate thereon. The area of the property comprised in Let One is, 5 500 square feet. The Crown rent is \$70 rer

annum. The property comprised in Lot 2 has a similar area and is subject to Crown rent of similar amount.

Fach godown is built of brick and stone and is three storeys in height with a large tiled roof containing an attic storey. Each Inland Lot is held for an unexpired residue amounting to 940] years or thereab uts of the term created by the Crown Lesse

Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from :-

Messra. DEACON, LOOKER. DEACON & PARSTON, 1 Des Vœux Road Central. Solicitors for the Liquidator, or from

Mesara HUGHES & HOUGH, the Auctioneers. Hongkong, 3fth May, 1917.

NOTICE.

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THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Liquidator of Messrs. BLACKHEAD & CO., F. H. HOHNKE, F. J. SCHWARZKOPF. E. H. THIEL and J. E. DANIELSON in pursuance of an Order of the Hongkong Government to sell by Public Auction at 3 o'clock in the AFTERNOON

FRIDAY

the 7th day of September, 1917 at his Auction Rooms in

Duddell Street. VALUABLE LEASE-HOLD PROPERTY

situate and being Shaukiwan Marine Lot No 1 and known as Blackhead's Soap Works. In One Lot.

The property has an area of 95,800 square feet or thereabouts and consists of level ground with a sea wall in good condition on the water front. On the property stands a Soap Factory and buildi gs in connection therewith comprising two Godowns, one with coolie quarters over a Manager's House, a Boiler and Machine House, three Iron Sheds,

two Wooden Sheds and a Tank. The property is held for the residue of a term of 999 years from August 1890. The Crown rent is \$440 per annum.

The PLANT and MACHINERY in the factory will be sold at the same time.

Particulars and Conditions of Messrs. DEACON, LOOKER,

DEACON & HARSTON. 1, Des Vœux Road Central,

Solicitors for the Liquidator, or from Mr. GEO. P. LAMMERT.

The Auctioneer. Hongkong, 8th June, 1917.

NOTICES.

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which have been made to given that the parties whose names were mentioned in the recent Mixed Court case as Wm. Katz and A. Katz are not, and never have been, in any way connected with the firm of Wm. Katz & Co., whi h has been established in China for more than a decade, and the present location of which is at la, Jinkee Road, Shanghai.

WM. KATZ & CO... (Signed) W. KATZ. Shanghai, 14 h June, 1917.

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on Account. WILLIAM WILSON & SONS SOLE AGENTS Mitsui Bussan Kalsha

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POST OFFICE.

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Gold manufactured or unmanufactured including gold soin and articles consisting watches and silver watch cases: Jewel- against an average of 36.28 inches. lery of any co-cription.

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FRENCH PARCEL REGULATIONS.

The Public are informed that the new regulations adopted by the French Customs insist that senders of parcels addressed to France, Corsics and Algeria must fill in the columns of the regular Customs Declaration particularly and exactly, omitting none of the headings comprised therein.

It is furthermore absolutely necessary to show in the aforesaid declaration (1) The full name and address of the addressee (2) A statement as to whether the contents are intended for State supplies or not.

Particulars of outgoing and incoming Mails will not be advertised in future. The Post Office will forward all correspondence posted by the fastest routes.

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days, 7.30 a.m., Registration 5 p.m. Let- G am ters 6 p.m.; Sundays, 5 p.m. Macso. - Week days, 7.15 a.m., 1.30 p.m.; Sundays. 9 a.m.

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WEATHER REPORT.

On the 25th at 12.07-No returns from Japanese stations. Pressure has "decrossed considerably at Vladivostock, moderately at Waihajwei, and slightly over the Philippines; it has increased alightly cleawhere. Adepression is travelling sastwards over South Manchuria; the mouthern depression appears to have moved into the Gulf of Tongking, and continues to fill up.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours partly of or containing gold; All mauue ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.06 inch. factures of Silver other than silver Total since January 1st, 26,52 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 14 HOURS

ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW District Forecast.

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tion papers. All persons with certain exceptions who remain in the Colony for more than 7 days are required to Register themselves under the REGISTRATION of PERSONS ORDINANCE 1916. Forms of Registration giving the particulars required may be obtained at the G. P. O. and at

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